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Box Amendment Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant(s):

Vargas, Jaime; et. al.

Assignee:

Cardica, Inc.

Title:

Incision Tensioning System and Method for Using the Same

Serial No.:

09/764,218

Examiner: Docket No.: Victor X. Nguyen

032405-042

Filed: January 16, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3731

Dear Sir:

Re:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Response to Office Action; and
- (3) Return postcard.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	-	Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra		<u>Rate</u>		Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	9	Minus	53	=	0	X	\$9	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	1	Minus	4	=	0	х	\$42	\$	0.00
Fee of for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application \$									
Fee for Request for Extension of Time								\$	
Total additional fee for this Amendment:								\$	0.00
Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.									
Please	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502108 in the amount of							\$	0.00
Please charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502108.									
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Respectfully submitted,

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